

## Maids Named for Melon Festival

### Contest Was Most Spectacular As Climax Reached

Winners Vote In Several Instances Reached Into Millions.

TO SELECT QUEEN Will Be Selected From Among Maids At Public Ceremony.

Chimaging four weeks of intensive campaigning, the contest for the selection of maids for Hope's fourth annual Watermelon Festival closed Saturday night. The vote was the heaviest ever recorded in such a contest here several of the winners turning in totals running well into millions.

Announcement of the winner was made this morning by Mrs. Carter Johnson, chairman of the committee having the contest in charge. Final count of votes was made Sunday by a committee of six counters, two from each of the three local banks. The winners are:

City of Hope  
Annabelle Philbrick  
Saline Township  
Connie Clendenin  
Noland Township  
Hazel Sims  
Mine Creek Township  
Fern Martin  
Ozan Township  
Margaret Porter  
Wallaceburg Township  
Lula Muriel Spears  
Redland Township  
Geraldine Busby  
DeRoan Township  
Frances Monts  
Spring Hill Township  
Swan Garner  
Bodie Township  
Mattie Mae Kent  
Garland Township  
Vera Houston  
Bois d'Arc Township  
Audrey Cox  
Water Creek Township  
Margaret Hicks

One of the thirteen maids elected will be named as Festival Queen at a ceremony at the Saenger theatre Tuesday night, selection to be by a committee of judges, none of whom live in the county, none of whom have personal acquaintance with any of the maids elected, and the identity of whom will not be made known until after choosing of the Queen.

A number of social affairs have been arranged in honor of the Maids, first of which will be a reception Tuesday evening, preceding the Saenger ceremony, at the home of Mrs. Frank Russell and which, in turn, will be followed by a number of similar events throughout the week.

Costume of maids, assignment of parts they take in parade and pageant, is a duty this year, as in the past, devolving upon the local Business and Professional Women's Club, sufficient guarantee of perfection in every detail.

**Briand To Retain Poincare Group**

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**JOSEPH H. STREET**

Joseph H. Street died at his home in Antlers, Okla., Saturday night, following a brief illness, it was learned here this morning.

Mr. Street was a 67-year resident of this city, being well known to many of the older settlers of the community. His daughter, Miss Clare, was a teacher in the Hope public schools for several terms prior to the family moving to Oklahoma. Two sons and a daughter survive.

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### Hempstead County Beauties Who Will Serve As Maids of the 4th Annual Melon Festival Aug. 8th



### Concert By Boys Band for Tonight

Camden and Hope Bands In Concert Recital At City Hall.

A game of baseball at Fair Park this afternoon between teams of the Hope and Camden Boys Bands will be the overture to a massed band concert at city hall tonight, to which the public is invited.

The bands each have a ball team in their list of membership, and rivalry is rather keen among the youngsters as to which is the better team. The bands are directed by Fred Martin who will be in charge of the concert tonight.

### Grade Crossings Take Human Toll

Cause More Than Ten Per Cent of All Auto Fatalities.

207,331 unprotected grade crossings cause 2,568 deaths.

The unprotected grade crossing is a menace that is steadily increasing its toll of human life every year.

From 1,791 fatalities in 1920, to 2,568 which is 10 per cent of the total auto fatalities in 1928, shows an increase of 43 per cent in eight years, and should make us realize that this dangerous element should be eliminated as quickly as possible.

The Western States unprotected Railroad-Highway Crossings number 115,830 more than all the Eastern and Southern states combined. Where these crossings are unprotected the automobile should come to an absolute stop. However, too many drivers take a chance on their brakes holding and stopping them quickly or else try to beat the train to the crossing.

Will we never learn that the odds are all against us and realize we cannot beat the train.

Stop—Look—Listen. The railroad tell us to do this instead of putting an attendant at crossings, but we ignore such warnings and as a result of 2,568 people were killed at grade crossings in 1928; 2,656 of these being in automobiles that were struck by trains.

Don't depend entirely on your brakes to prevent accidents. A little sound judgment and good common sense in driving should be used and if a mistake is made or an emergency arises then use your brakes.

### Under Truck for Seven Long Hours

Man In Hospital After Harrowing Experience In Wreck.

HELENA, Ark., July 29. (AP)—Evelyn Krueke, 26, was killed when the light truck in which she was riding was overturned on a highway 30 miles south of here last midnight. The truck struck the corner of a bridge and overturned into several feet of water, killing the girl instantly.

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### Hope Man Attends Insurance Meet

Visits Asheville As Guest of Company At Regional Convention.

ASHVILLE, N. C., July 29. (AP)—Weaver of Hope, Ark., was among the leading producers of the Reliance Life Insurance Company gathered at Grove Park Inn, Asheville, for the second of a series of regional conventions the company is holding for its representatives throughout the United States this summer.

He qualified for the meeting on a production basis through the business he has done in Hope during the past few months.

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### Turks' Trousers To Lose 'Bags'

ANGORA, July 29. The Turk is to be debagged. His trousers, in other words, will hereafter have to follow slimmer Western lines.

This is one of a series of new rulings that the Turkish government has promulgated in its new "model dress" for the men and women of Turkey.

The color and shape of the trousers will be left to individual taste, but they must not "bag." The men's outfit exclusive of trousers, has been fixed to sell at \$4.00.

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### Shover 4-H Club To Send Delegates To Fayetteville

Elmer McWilliams and Emmett Dawson will represent Shover Springs 4-H club at Farmer's Week at Fayetteville it was decided at a club meeting Friday night of last week.

The Club has done some excellent work this year and is receiving high co-operation of the citizenship of the community in its every effort.

The latest game in Manchuria appears to be, "Railroad, railroad, who's got the railroad?"

Mr. Wickersham's remarks about enforcement have evoked almost as much discussion as the famous phrase, "I do not choose to run."

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### Number Two Takes Lead Away From Dollar Number One

#### "Number One" (Seven Changes)

Unreported since Friday, when it was given to Mr. May of Boden, Nevada county.

#### "Number Two" (Eleven Changes)

W. W. Hughes, Jr., South Main street, received from his father to start a savings account.

Arkansas Bank & Trust Co., on deposit.

Thomas Ridgill, received from bank in change.

Moreland's drug store, for purchase.

Jack Eaves, Saenger theatre, in change.

Number Two of The Star's stay-at-home dollars opened up the new week with five changes since the last report Saturday.

Number One was apparently lost, not having been heard from since Mr. May, of the Boden community carried it back home Friday from Patterson's Department Store. Number One, which was started at Geo. W. Robinson & Co., had a bad start on the first day, last Thursday, but at the end of the week was leading Number Two, having changed hands seven times.

Number Two was the first of the dollars to find its way into a local bank, going on deposit at the

Arkansas Bank & Trust Co. It was out of circulation Saturday, since being received Friday by W. W. Hughes, of South Main street, Mr. Hughes read about the search in Saturday's Star, however, and dropped by the newspaper office

to drop a note—his last—saying "all well."

This took place early Monday morning, and a few minutes later

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# Hope Star

Every Afternoon Except Sunday

BY STAR PUBLISHING COMPANY  
217 South Main Street  
Hope, ArkansasC. E. PALMER, President  
ALEX. H. WASHBURN, Editor and Publisher

The newspaper is an institution developed by modern civilization to present the news of the day, to foster commerce and industry, thru widely circulated advertisements, and to furnish that check upon government which no constitution has ever been able to provide."—Col. McCormick.

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By city carrier, per month	\$ .50
Six months	2.75
One Year	5.00
By Mail, One Year	3.00

Entered as second-class matter at the post office at Hope, Arkansas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

## The Star's Platform

## City

Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.

More city pavement in 1929, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and business back-yards.

Support the Chamber of Commerce.

## County

A county highway program providing for the construction of a minimum amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt road mileage.

Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.

Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

## State

Continued progress on the state highway program.

Fearless tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.

Free Arkansas from the cattle tick.

## The Festival Bears Fruit

HOPE's fourth annual Watermelon Festival is just around the corner and it appears that public interest will send a larger crowd to Hempstead county this year than ever before.

Crowds mean advertising. Every city wants it, of course—but the success of the melon festival is more than the mere honor of being the state's largest one-day event.

Not only has the festival advertised watermelons and Hempstead county all over America, but it has materially changed the course of local agriculture. We have it on the word of men who have lived here all their lives that Hempstead county is further away from an all-cotton agriculture now than ever before. We are told that the truck crops have increased year by year, and that there is probably more money in general circulation here this summer than in any previous year at this time.

That is the real fruit of the Watermelon Festival.

In one respect we think the Hempstead county festival is the greatest in the history of Arkansas. The orchard men of the northwest counties maintained the Apple Festival at Rogers, and the rice growers have their rice carnival at Stuttgart—but both events are the outgrowth of a well developed industry. But in Hope the festival came first and the industry afterward.

To divert agriculture into more profitable lines, and obtain a stupendous amount of national advertising, all with a one day event, is a mark of signal success.

Hope and Hempstead county have organized for the fourth annual festival, and we don't doubt but that this year's result will again compensate this section for the time and money that have been expended.

## A Beautiful Report.

A RUSSELLVILLE BANKER told us an interesting story the other night. He said: "My bank has a customer among those who usually borrow money each spring with which to make a crop, who came to me this spring and said he didn't guess he would need to make a loan this year. 'My cows are going to finance my cotton crop this year,' the customer said. I didn't have as much faith as our customer and believed he would be around asking for a loan before spring was gone. Along about the first of June he came in the bank, and I asked him who was financing his crop this year. Again he said, 'My cows.' He had me to get his ledger sheet which showed the regular deposits from milk and cream sales, and a balance left, and for the first time in years this customer had not borrowed money on which to make a crop. I am thoroughly convinced that dairying is what this section needs," the banker concluded.—*Morrilton Democrat*.

## Newspapers and Radio

SOME weeks ago the well known business statistician, Roger W. Babson made a statement in Cleveland in which he drew an interesting comparison of the value of radio and newspaper advertising.

An advertisement was broadcast at a cost of \$3,000 and the advertiser received sixteen inquiries and two orders as a result. A few days later at a cost of \$3,000 he printed the advertisement in five newspapers in five different cities and received 4,000 inquiries. The radio advertisement figured \$166.66 for each reply, while the inquiries from the newspaper advertisement cost 15 cents each. The ratio is 222 to 1. Mr. Babson added that it was very plain to him that in advertising the printed word has a huge advantage over the spoken although he held no belief for one medium in preference to another. He added that a medium should be gauged by the results that it produces, and that the value of newspaper advertising has been proven beyond doubt.—*El Dorado Daily News*.

## WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON.—Few if any goats have ever risen to the international renown of the goat William Hamilton Bones. Perhaps that is because Washington correspondents, who have contrived the fame of William Hamilton Bones, would rather write about a goat any day than about a politician. Although it is the capital were full of goats, one might also eventually weary of writing about goats.

William Hamilton Bones probably would not now be within our gates had it not been for the widely credited report that he was the personal goat of Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson. Not even the Department of Agriculture, which cared that William Hamilton Bones might have foot and mouth disease, surra, rinderpest or pleuropneumonia, could hold out forever against the Secretary of State's own personal goat.

As a matter of fact, William Hamilton Bones is and was the personal goat of Capt. Eugene Regnier, the secretary's military aide. One hesitates to suggest

just how much culpability attaches to Capt. Regnier for letting the story get out that it was the secretary's goat—a story which so immensely strengthened the position of William Hamilton Bones.

A Very Lucky Goat  
Probably William Hamilton Bones does not know his luck, for this government has barred in recent years a count and a countess, the Kawalyis, and a member of the British Parliament, Sharupur Sakatalava, for loss. These and others who were kept out were never suspected of hoof and mouth disease or rinderpest.

Now that he's here, the citizenship of William Hamilton Bones will be taken for granted. He will not have to promise a judge, as Mrs. Rosika Schwindner and Martha Gruber refused to promise, to fight our enemies. William Hamilton Bones is willing, nay, pleased—to butt anybody at any and all times.

The fact is that William Hamilton Bones, the world's most famous goat and probably the world's most widely traveled goat, has always had extraordinary luck. Once he was a poor orphan in the hills of Hawaii, bleating pitifully and barely old enough to waddle. Then he was taken to live in a palace



To Pioneer a Fortune You Must

**HAVE MONEY!**

The pioneers who went west in their "prairie schooners" endured hardships for a while, but their self-denial and industry led them to fortune.

You MUST make some sacrifices NOW to get ahead but it will be WORTH it; and sooner you think you will gain success.

Start Saving Regularly NOW  
We invite YOUR Banking Business

**ARKANSAS**  
BANK & TRUST CO.

"Home of the Thrifty"

Hope

Arkansas

"HAVE MONEY!"

Now he is an American citizen! There are few success stories to beat that. It has all happened to William Hamilton Bones in two short years.

Some goat hunters killed his mother in Hawaii and it was there that Capt. Regnier adopted him at the age of eight or ten days. Two quarts of milk the captain fed him every day, at first through a rubber nipple. Two quarts of milk he guzzled every day until the time Regnier left his leather riding gloves on a chair near William Hamilton Bones and returned to find them vanished except for the two buttons. He was then put on a general diet.

At the age of six months, William Hamilton Bones went to Manila with Capt. Regnier, who became Stimson's aide. Stimson was governor-general of the Philippines and so William Hamilton Bones moved to the Malacan Palace, the governor-general's mansion. With fastidious tastes and an eye for color, he went on a diet of roses, hibiscuses, chrysanthemums and delphiniums and remained on that diet until Mrs. Stimson discovered what was happening to her flower beds.

A Name Out of a Book  
When he came to Manila, this goat's name was only William. Miss Candace Stimson, the governor-general's sister, came from a tour in the Orient with a number of Edgar Wallace's books, which she had picked up in Shanghai. One was a yarn of African adventure in which William Hamilton Bones was the name of a native infant who had been rescued from the jungle by a British army officer. Miss Stimson saw the similarity. Thus a goat came to be called William Hamilton Bones.

**BARBS**  
Maybe we ought to ship a few of our second-hand airplane engines to Europe. Then some of those European flyers might be able to make the Atlantic crossing.

By the way, what ever became of that person Harry Sinclair? Dr. Morris Fishbein says a man's teeth and hair are his best friends. But even the best of friends will fall out.

The new money is smaller, but some people can make just as much of a flourish with it, and miss it just as much when it's gone.

Times change. The world's ill-

## Watch Out for Side-Door Pullman Tourists!



used to be blamed on sun spots and now it's the lively ball.

County Court House, in which said Court is held, in the County of three months, the purchaser being required to execute a bond as required by law and the order and decree of said Court in said cause, with approved security bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date of sale until paid, and a lien retained on the premises sold to secure payment of the purchase money.

Given under my hand this 19th day of July, 1929.  
(Signed) WILLIE HARRIS  
Commissioner in Chancery.

The iceman who dropped a fifty-pound cake of ice on the landlady's foot begged to be excused for a slip of the tong.

Appropriately enough, Charlie Fudge headed a Chattanooga delegation to the recent confectioners' convention in Atlanta.

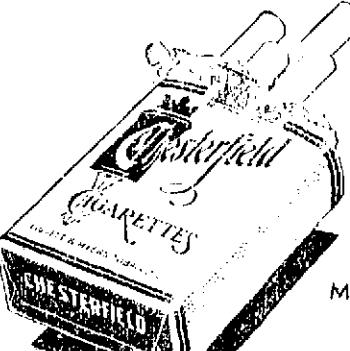
...off the springboard it's **FORM**!

...in a cigarette it's **TAKE**!

GETTING DOWN to brass tacks, a cigarette is a smoke—made and bought for your own enjoyment.

But between just something to smoke, and tobacco character, richness, delicate aroma—in short, something to *taste*—well, that's the difference that accounts for Chesterfield's ever-mounting popularity—

"TASTE above everything"



MILD... and yet  
THEY SATISFY

**Chesterfield**

FINE TURKISH and DOMESTIC tobaccos, not only BLENDED but CROSS-BLENDED

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# SOCIETY

Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 321

At the world has grown old and the world has grown wise. Simpler phases of living retreat; But in spite of all changes, that men can devise, There are neighbors to make the days sweet. Such a little thing varies the trend of our thoughts, Such a trifle brings brightness and bloom, And in wonders like these kindly neighbors have wrought, "Love's enchantment" to lighten the gloom.

—Selected.

Miss Frances White will leave tomorrow for a week's visit with Miss Elizabeth King in Atlanta, Texas.

Miss Oma Matthews left yesterday for a visit with friends in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Webster attended the Christian camp meeting near Okfuskee yesterday.

Miss Margaret Webster left this morning for a week's visit with friends in Monroe, La.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Anderson left this morning for a month's visit with friends and relatives in Palmyra and other Missouri points.

Mrs. W. L. Patterson and children, William and Elizabeth of St. Louis arrived Saturday by motor for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Briggs. Mrs. Patterson will be remembered as Miss Lavinia Briggs.

Mrs. W. T. Hart and daughter, Miss Margaret, who have been guests of relatives for the past week left yesterday for their home in Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McCorkle have returned from Little Rock, where they attended the wedding of their daughter, Mary Hortense to Mr. Ralph J. Berkson of New York.

Miss Mary Bell Marshall arrived Saturday night from Texarkana to spend the summer visiting with her aunt, Miss Maggie Bell and Mr. L. T. Bell, Sr.

Miss Margaret Webster left this morning for a week's visit with friends in Monroe, La.

Mrs. Charles and Etta Champlin and mother, Mrs. Curran and Miss

## NEW GRAND

MONDAY — TUESDAY

"New Years Eve"

with

Mary Astor  
Charles Morton  
and  
Earle Fox

—Also—

PATHE NEWS AND COMEDY  
10c and 25c

## SEE and HEAR



One of the big pictures of all times. Successor to "The Big Parade."

DOLORES DEL RIO

RALPH FORBES —IN—

The smashing hit that swept Broadway off its feet!

3 ACTS TALKING - SINGING VITAPHONE VAUDEVILLE  
THREE BROS SISTERS  
FRED ARDETH  
BORN & LAWRENCE

"THE TRAIL OF '98"

—Added—

NOW!

SAENGER

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By Blodgett

## HOW THEY STAND TODAY

### SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Clubs	W.	L.	Pc.
Birmingham	59	41	.590
New Orleans	57	43	.570
Atlanta	50	47	.544
Nashville	52	49	.515
Memphis	52	51	.505
Little Rock	46	59	.438
Chattanooga	42	57	.424
Mobile	41	59	.410

### Yesterday's Results

Atlanta 4-2, Little Rock 1-6.  
New Orleans 2-12, Chattanooga 1-1.

Birmingham 3-1, Memphis 2-7.  
Mobile 6-2, Nashville 1-11.

### Games Today

Little Rock-Atlanta, off day.  
Birmingham at Memphis.  
Chattanooga at New Orleans.  
Nashville at Mobile.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Clubs	W.	L.	Pc.
Philadelphia	70	25	.737
New York	58	33	.637
St. Louis	52	43	.547
Cleveland	49	46	.516
Detroit	47	48	.495
Chicago	37	59	.385
Washington	35	56	.385
Boston	28	66	.208

### Yesterday's Results

Cleveland 9, Washington 6.  
New York 7, St. Louis 6.  
Detroit 5, Boston 3.  
Only games played.

### Games Today.

Chicago at Philadelphia.  
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Only game scheduled.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Clubs	W.	L.	Pc.
Chicago	60	30	.667
Pittsburgh	58	33	.637
New York	53	44	.543
St. Louis	47	47	.500
Brooklyn	41	52	.441
Boston	40	56	.417
Cincinnati	39	55	.415
Philadelphia	36	57	.387

### Yesterday's Results

Cincinnati 4-7, Brooklyn 3-5.  
New York 10, St. Louis 5.  
Chicago 7, Philadelphia 2.  
Only games scheduled.

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Philadelphia at Chicago.  
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.  
Boston at Pittsburgh.  
New York at St. Louis.

### TEXAS LEAGUE

Clubs	W.	L.	Pc.
Wichita Falls	17	10	.630
Houston	15	11	.577
Waco	16	13	.552
Fort Worth	15	15	.500
Beaumont	13	13	.500
Shreveport	13	14	.481
Dallas	12	17	.414
San Antonio	10	18	.357

### Yesterday's Results

Fort Worth 5-2, Dallas 0-0.  
Houston 3-3, San Antonio 1-2.  
Wichita Falls 8-7, Shreveport 7-3.  
Waco 2-2, Beaumont 1-9.

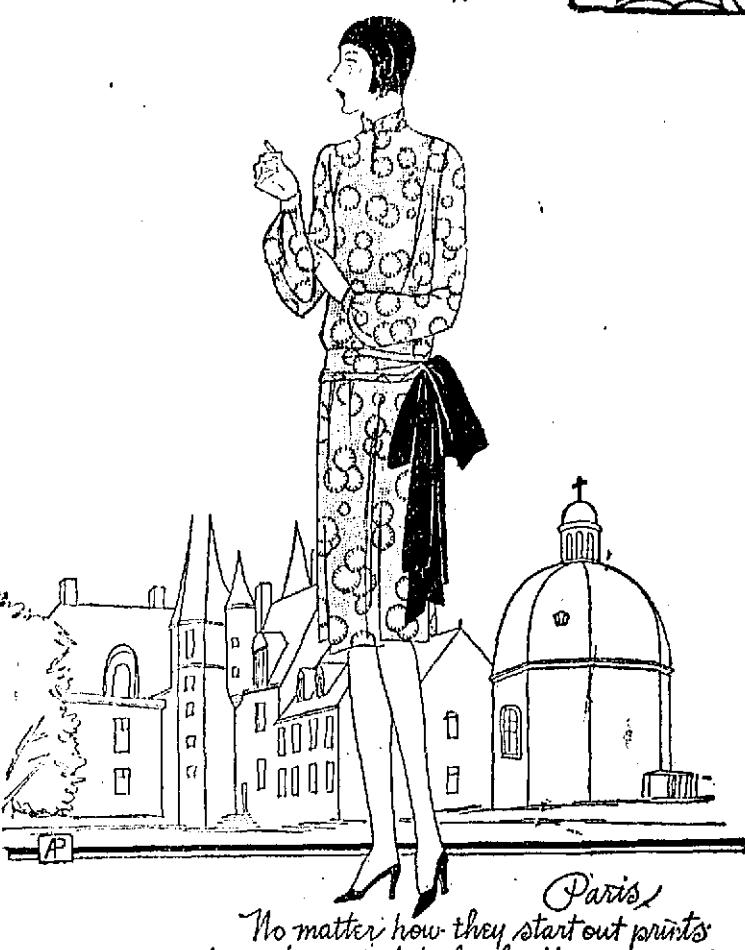
### KLEIN'S

### RADIUM SALVE

### WORKS LIKE MAGIC

It copes with old stubborn sores, piles, eczema, poison oak, sore golf feet, pimples, facial blemishes and sores and skin diseases of various kinds. Call at WARD and SON today or any other drug store, buy a tube and watch your trouble disappear. Radium Salve Corp., of Amer., Little Rock, Ark.

## MOODIES of the MOMENT!



No matter how they start out prints seem to run to spots and dots by the time summer is well established. Decooll-Beer shows a pretty navy and white print with draped corsage.

Rita

## OUT OF THE WAY



Given under my hand this 19th day of July, A. D. 1929.  
(Seal) WILLIE HARRIS,  
Commissioner in Chancery.

### AN APPRECIATION

I wish to express my deepest thanks and appreciation to each and every one of my loyal, kind friends who so bravely helped me to win in the Maids contest just closed. It has been said I am leaving Hope—but dear friends, I am here to stay and am proud of the little city I live in. Thanking you again and—Hurray for Hope.

Annabel Philbrick.

## NOW IS THE TIME

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